



A Healthful Sign

One of the most heartening and inspirational stories appearing recently in the daily press is that of the organization and operation of the Pierceland Fruit and Vegetable Growers' Co-operative Association, the first of its kind in Saskatchewan, perhaps the first on the prairies.

The story is heartening because it demonstrates that it is possible for whole communities to organize a practical effort to place themselves on a solid, sound, more nearly self-sustaining basis, and is inspirational because it may point the way for other communities to improve their lot, either in the same manner as the people of the Pierceland district, or in some other direction.

While the scene of this experiment, for it is yet hardly beyond the experimental stage being in its first year, is laid in northwestern Saskatchewan near the Alberta boundary, it could have been staged in many parts of Alberta or Manitoba, indeed, anywhere that vegetables and fruit will grow.

Finding the raising of wheat a somewhat uncertain form of production, the Pierceland district organized to set up a co-operative cannery plant in May of this year. Capitalizing on the fact that the district could grow vegetables and small fruits to perfection and that wild fruits also grew in profusion, a cannning factory was set up to the produce of the gardens and the bush.

With this in their generation, the people of the Pierceland district sought all the information they could find, learned the art of canning, and secured the assistance of the provincial department of agriculture as to the best method of organizing, and called on their nearest Dominion experimental farm staff for demonstrations of the canning process. The necessary equipment was purchased and in the fall quantities of products were processed, canned and marketed.

Helping Themselves

Of particular interest is the modus operandi, as outlined by B. N. Arnason of the Co-operation and Markets Branch of the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture. "The association furnishes the flour, salt, sugar, and other supplies to the growers, take the grain and vegetables to the cannery plant, their produce under supervision and take one-half of the cannied produce home with them. The association retains the other half for resale to meet operating expenses and to pay for the equipment. Any surplus will be turned over to a pension fund. There will be some variation from the above procedure depending on the fact that the grower takes to the plant, but in general the 50-50 basis is used."

"The object is to observe all standard requirements as to quality, canning methods so that no difficulty will be experienced with regard to sale. To date most of the products have been disposed of in nearby towns. The products cannot have been chiefly corn, peas, beans, cauliflower, carrots and several varieties of wild fruits."

A Beneficial Project

A soft-hedged project of this nature will serve to confer many benefits upon those who participate in it, perhaps to an even greater extent than those who sponsored it may be aware at the present time. These advantages are both material and moral.

One of the material benefits of such an undertaking, and the one immediately obvious, of course, is the financial return which the sale of the processed products brings to the co-operative. Not only do they reap a direct cash return but also an indirect cash benefit, inasmuch as the reduced canning expenses retained by the participants in a cash outlay for vegetables and fruits during the late winter and spring months, by which time unprocessed home-stored produce would have perished.

Another material advantage is the fact that factory canning with present equipment is largely a hand operation. It is not dependent on ideal conditions, resulting in less loss than if it were done at home with more or less primitive equipment. Moreover, it can be taken for granted that more produce will be conserved in this manner than would be the case if each individual were to undertake the processing at home. Thus with the abundance of fruit and vegetables usually to be found in most farms, and with the method there should be an ample supply for every participant's household until next year's crops are available, and a substantial surplus for sale.

Then, too, the health value of a project of this kind, should not be overlooked. Certainly, in an emergency for the household during those seasons of the year when fresh fruits are not available, except at prohibitive cost, should yield dividends in better health.

Not by any means the least important is the moral value of a self-help undertaking of this or any other kind. After a decade of the pernicious effect of the direct relief system with its tendency to sap the moral fibre, it is gratifying to find that whole communities are imbued with that spirit of self-reliance which gives them to feel for themselves and to knock the government doors from under their feet at the earliest possible opportunity.

It was this spirit which enabled the pioneers of this country to play their part in building a great nation, and it is this spirit which will enable us to win the war. And after the war is over, it is this spirit which will enable the people of the prairies to adjust themselves to the great changes which must inevitably come.

On the English radio jests is that if you see a man run backwards it's an Italian flying plane. More truth than jest: Ben's air force, like his fleet, has been backward in coming forward.

World Exports Increase

In spite of the loss of markets in Spain and the United States, Canada's exports of wheat were up during the past crop year, totalled 267.9 million bushels, which was the best volume exported since the 1930-31 crop year. Of this 254 million bushels were exported. The export entered the 1940-41 crop year with a carry-over of almost 90 million bushels.

Full daylight is about 650.00 times brighter than full moonlight.

The dollar mark originally was a religious symbol.

Canada Has Good Bands

Orchestras Too Can Furnish Music Equal to The Best

Such is the prediction of Canadian bands and orchestras from the United States, according to the Toronto Daily Star, that "bands will go to hear, and dance to, one of these who would not be interested in a Canadian band or orchestra." It is a prediction which is not far from the achievements of our best musicians nor accurate in the estimate of Canadian approval of Canadian bands and orchestras.

If distance lends enchantment, as the old saying goes, then there is plenty of distance in Canada. From Halifax to Victoria the country can supply musical organizations with just as much to offer to their credit as can be found in the United States. And from what we hear over the radio, Canadian communities are not lacking in their musical development.

Some criticism has been made of some Canadian bands and orchestras for not being up to the mark in the United States. Bands and orchestras in the country to bring in the United States are stressing the importance of limiting expenses, and the result is that the bands and orchestras in Canada have less to offer to the public.

If the same condition exists another year it might be worth considering whether representative Canadian bands and orchestras can not fill all Canadian requirements.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Forty-four Turkish army and naval officers go to the United States to study technical subjects at various universities.

The London transport system is expected to save 450 tons of paper per year by the use of thinner bus tickets.

Eighty Netherlands army officers arrived here from Great Britain to recruit an infantry battalion among Netherlands nationals in Canada. One of the first scholarships that scholarships for 1943 are open for competition.

London county council is attempting to enforce compulsory attendance in all districts whose schools have suitable anti-raid protection sheds.

A memorial service was held for Flying Officer Dennis Grice who sacrificed his life by crashing into the sea rather than let his plane fall on a town during a raid.

British guns used in wars of the 19th century on all continents, removed from Woolwich Common by the ministry of supply, will not be used for scrap "until last possible moment."

The Universal Postal Union has relieved administrations from the responsibility for the loss of registered articles due to circumstances constituting causes beyond control.

In the first world war, the Manchester corporation has decided to recover 2,600 yards of aluminum conductor underground cable which was laid during the first great war.

Canada, according to estimates of the census bureau, is in the process of preparing to take the decennial census next year, has a population of about 11,390,000, an increase of about 1,000,000 since the last census.

Knew When To Act

British Upset Mussolini's Plan To Ship Gasoline To Ethiopia

Some weeks ago the British announced they had broken from the air and had destroyed a major concentration of enemy trucks at Mogadisio, only port of Italian Somaliland in the Indian Ocean. Now "Augur," the well-informed London correspondent of the New York Times, tells the story behind that official statement.

Italian Somaliland backs up against Ethiopia, and Ethiopia is of Mussolini's chief concern. The Italian forces there quite cut off from normal communications with Italy, and as British bombers destroy their reserves of gasoline and munitions relentlessly, all hell breaks loose.

Then comes a brilliant notion. The Indian Ocean is full of smugglers eager to make a dishonest dollar, and Mussolini hired them to large numbers. Little Arab ships picked up gasoline and supplies all over the area—pro-Fascist Frenchmen in French Somaliland, Madagascar, and elsewhere helped materially, it is said, after the armistice. Precious gasoline was bought with Italian gold, and now the gold is gone. The smugglers, who had been told to run the British blockade and make deliveries at Mogadisio.

Meanwhile, the Arabs found that blockade an easy barrier, and gradually large quantities of gasoline were assembled at the Italian port, loaded on trucks ready for the journey into Ethiopia. Then the British struck home. The Italian port, which had not been bombed, had merely decided it was easier to destroy this great store of gasoline in one blow, after it had been assembled, than to have to burn up little ships over thousands of miles.

"British bombers," says Augur, "in 15 minutes flattened the result of Mussolini's patient endeavor." The British had achieved their end, the Arabs had their gold, and everybody was happy except the Italians.

The Explainer

This story is told about the recruit who was greatly disappointed with his uniform. He seemed to fit nowhere. He was still trying to make the buttons of his tunic meet when he passed the Colonel on the parade ground. In his preoccupation he forgot to salute.

"Pull yourself together!" snapped the Colonel. "Don't you know you're wearing the King's uniform?"

"Oh, that's it," replied the recruit. "I knew it wasn't meant for me."

Help Needed Most

America Needs Gifts To Britain Are Not Enough

The following article by Anne H. Sims, widow of U.S. Admiral Sims, appeared in the New York Herald Tribune:

I believe that the war being fought by Great Britain is our war, too, because both countries are founded on the principle of the freedom of the individual. So I believe that we should do all we can, then all the help we can and promptly.

Modern inventors are giving the average citizen a better opportunity to know what is going on in this war than we had in any previous one. This is true on us as well as on the British. Every good act of ours that concerns the war adds its weight. I believe, to one side or the other. So it is of the utmost importance that each of us do our best to get as far as possible of lurking fears and personal antipathies and ambitions and think as clearly as we can.

The spontaneous outpouring of sympathy in the form of gifts, services and welcome to the British children must help the citizens of Great Britain to keep up that will to victory, courage and sustained morale, which is to be the determining factor in winning the war.

Let us be aware of letting our self in helping in these ways make us forget that what the British want most is not our gifts but the freedom of their heroic fight for the freedom of the individual.

Winter Clothing

Little Subjects From Cold In The Tropics

Judging by the array of heavy clothing the defence department intends issuing to men called up for 30 days' training this coming winter, there is no need to suffer from cold in the training camp.

The clothing list includes everything from socks to weasels and woolen gloves. When each man is through his training period, every item of his clothing will be issued.

Women too are active despatching supplies. Women everywhere are knitting for shelter wear for soldiers, sailors and airmen.

Shoe shops are experiencing a sharp demand for fur-lined winter shoes.

Tin hats, gas mask cases and black-out materials are war-time staples. The only helmets available are ready-made supplies. Women everywhere are knitting for shelter wear for soldiers, sailors and airmen.

Second hand furniture stores are doing a rushing business.

Flea markets are always lousy.

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Restaurants have been doing well because of the large number of people caught away from home at meal times. But they are hampered by interrupted movement of supplies and they had to simplify their menus.

Just Potatoes

Reports come from different parts of the country concerning heating fruit—“fruit” being the seed which are produced in favorable seasons. The bulbs are often mistaken for small tomatoes and claims are made of double barrelled plants yielding both potatoes and tomatoes.

Axis leaders “ever fix dates” says Italian editor Gayda. What about Hitler's Aug. 15 “date” in London?

ADORABLE KIDDIE ENSEMBLE

By Anne Adams



Even they tote may be smart “tailor-made!” For in anything more beguiling than a small, sturdy figure in a trim little suit like Anne Adams’ “adorable kiddie ensemble” (see \$20) the perfect eight-gore skirt buttons onto the waist and flares jauntily. It’s a simple button-down jacket—it is as dashing in a brave plaid, perhaps with the foppish “tailored” look—but it is a braver jacket, with a sensible pocket. See how fresh and pretty the collar turns up! And the plaid pocket is outlined in the jacket! Why not make a smart wool suit and a two-piece instructor smooth the way?

Pattern 4230 is available in child size, takes 1½ yards 35 inch fabric; skirt, ½ yard 24 inch fabric; jacket, ½ yard 24 inch fabric; waistband, 2½ yards 36 inch fabric; belt, 2½ yards 36 inch fabric. Pattern 4230 is available in child size, Address and Style Number and mail order to Anne Adams’ Pattern Dept., Western Newspaper Annex, 175 McDermott Ave. E. Winnipeg.

youngsters, can be made in from two to six weeks, and sell wholesale at from \$2 to \$6 a dozen! The mother earns \$100 a week a day.

Vichy. The name capital of France.

Most of us have heard of Vichy, which connected the word “Vichy” with an apricot. Yet Vichy and its surroundings are world famous—especially so to tourists and to those who frequent the health spas.

Tourism is a major industry in Vichy, for about 30,000. This really is the opportunity that comes but once in a lifetime, for the Vichy is a proven executive and business ability, and are interested in dental.

So it is within the possibilities that we may be seeing dance studios springing up in Vichy.

The “Vichy Gold” did a dozen years ago—and perhaps these studios will have just as short a life as did mine.

Parsons have come from Panama—they just come via Panama, when this when they are genuine Panamas. They really ought to be called “Ecuadorian” because the hats made in Ecuador are considerably more as branch managers. Although we have already heard of Vichy, and the name comes to mind for about 30,000. This really is the opportunity that comes but once in a lifetime, for the Vichy is a proven executive and business ability, and are interested in dental.

As to the actual rebuilding plans, the Rotterdam buildings inspectors

so far know only what must not be done. Persons interested in the reconstruction of the Rotterdam buildings will be restricted, and while the work continues the execution of the work runs certain dangers. The authorities appear to be left without before outlining a real reconstruction plan.



THIS IS HITLER'S SECRET WEAPON

—From News of the World, London.

London Shops Are Busy

Air Raids Create Demand For Certain Type Of Goods

There is plenty of activity in London's shops, despite the air raids, and the rush of business goes to shop with the rest of us.

Everyone loves to make hot tea and accompany a shock may be at least as good as a cup of tea.

Shelter pads for protection in damp underground bombproofs. They run like crazy marmots to a stout cloth affair with pockets to hold hot tea.

Camp cots and camp chairs. The stores have been so brisk some stores are only taking orders for future delivery.

Window glass substitutes of translucent treated cotton which can be tacked-in to replace panes broken or shattered as a projectile.

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The bulbs are often mistaken for onions, including some with rabbits'wholes bodies were clothed in various thicknesses of rubber, showed it at the end of the wave of the blimps which houses the blimps by its impact on the body wall.

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Children Looked After

While mothers learn munition-making at a school a week-end, the children are left to the care of the nurses at nearby nurseries. The children will be able to continue at the nurseries when the mothers have finished the training and are engaged in actual munitions work.

Youngsters

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Most of us have heard of Vichy, which connected the word “Vichy” with an apricot. Yet Vichy and its surroundings are world famous—especially so to tourists and to those who frequent the health spas.

Tourism is a major industry in Vichy, for about 30,000. This really is the opportunity that comes but once in a lifetime, for the Vichy is a proven executive and business ability, and are interested in dental.

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What about a nice cup of tea?

Here's the approved way of making it: first warm a teacup teapot, with water which has been boiled and then cooled, pour the water into the kettle; never must you boil the water in the kettle to the teapot; then add the tea to the teapot;

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Melting Pot Of Europe

Fugitives Of All Lands Make Effort To Reach Switzerland

Escape! It's a magic word to millions in Europe. Thousands, tens of thousands, try it. Some succeed. More fail.

Success in many cases has meant only new capture and new escape attempt. Failure has frequently meant death.

Since war began Switzerland has been the goal of many an escaped war prisoner, concentration camp captive, or international fugitive. Escaped war prisoners cannot be turned back by a neutral state. No such laws protect concentration camp prisoners.

Neutral aviators who fell in France buried their planes and hiked to Switzerland, taking days for the trip. German infantrymen have reached Switzerland, too.

From Germany, however, come many more escaped prisoners. Austrians, Czechs, Poles, French, Belgians, Netherlands. Danes. Not the British trifle into Switzerland by night, day, using a hundred bridges, a thousand tracks to travel hundreds even thousands of miles to liberty.

Of all those who escape only the fate of the British is clear once they arrive in Switzerland. Their country once he reaches that neutral soil is easy for the Briton. It's not easy for the rest—their fates are conjecture.

What happens to the man of occupied territory depends entirely upon cases. If they have friends in Switzerland, they might be permitted temporary liberty. If they have friends abroad they might be lucky enough to get visas and transportation out.

Many an unfortunate escaped prisoner from a concentration camp has reached Switzerland after weeks of travel, only to be captured again. And when he is turned back to neutral that Switzerland has its own problems. It cannot support all the penniless, friendless, countryless refugees who have to live there.

Some of these refugees work now in labor camps, happy to find employment in Switzerland even if it is labor to which they are unaccustomed. Some, however, are awaiting fortunes arranged out with them or awaiting them in Switzerland.

War prisoners are of a different type. Most of them escape prison camps with two driving desires in mind: to get home, to get out on the right.

Switzerland's own "war prisoners" try to escape, too. Technically, they're not prisoners, for they are French, Polish, Czech, or German across the frontier by the Germans. They surrendered their arms and now they're interned in Swiss villages.

Save Sense Of Humor

People In England Always Find Something To Amuse Themselves

Just when one begins to think that the war is about as bad as it can be, comes that men are descending daily into back-to-brutal barbarism, come the little touches that illustrate the sense of humor that still remains.

At Dover down in the "hole center" of England, air raids and air satties have been as bitter as have been seen anywhere. Taking desperate chances German raiders have been known to drop incendiary aircraft fire to bring down a number of barrage balloons. Favorite "fall friends," named by the British, the D-Day "bodysurfing" Dambusters, Undulating Ursula, Wobbling King Lear VII, dropped to earth in flame.

Men with enough humor to christen thus their pet balloons, swaying above them as the bombers come down, will be hard to find. Many of any sort have managed to save their sense of humor. That gives hope for the future.—Quebec Chronicle-Telegraph.

Certainly Not

An elderly gentleman approached one of the attendants at the men's entrance.

"Can you tell me what the lumps on the camel's back is for?" he asked politely.

"What's it for?" the man murmured.

"Yes, what use is it?"

"Well, sir, it's pretty useful. The old camel wouldn't be much use without it, you know."

"Why not?" exclaimed the keeper in surprise. "Well, you don't suppose people 'd pay to see 'em if 'e hadn't an 'ump, do ye?"

The admission still goes: No matter whether you have one or five slums—keep them up!

Duty Of Canadians

Our Personal Relations To The Present International Situation

Any man might well use an hour and find it not ill spent—in taking stock of his personal relations to the present international situation. He could do so in the light of news coming almost hourly out of England—news of a great people's power to resist great might. Back to the wall, but with heroic acceptance of the penalties of war so that through their steadfastness Europe may ultimately regain its lost freedom. These Islanders and their aids stand between Canada and a yet greater contact with "that wicked man" of Berchesgaden and his Hunnish hordes.

Because of the courage of England's defenders and his own— and may he never forget the fact—that a Canadian non-combatant owes his present comparative ease, his arm chair comfort, and his undisturbed sleep to the efforts of others, he can in his own conscience go quiet, decide for himself what he is doing to repay his rapidly mounting debt, what part he is playing to end the battle of Britain which must be won. If he is not in this job, for another he must do, or he will be forever clasped with the quitter.

This is the time when the line "They're not us" which states what war is inapplicable. Action is what is needed, swift action whether it causes need to flush guns, roar to results in a financial sacrifice that will bring the war to a quick end.

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Murderous Pest

German Official Describes Aerial Bombardment

Heine Goettsche, general of the German economic ministry who has been serving as gunner in a German bomber raiding London describes the sporting zest of aerial bombardment in an Associated Press interview from Bonn:

"One of the most exciting moments is always that immediately after a heavy bomb has been dropped. There's always the fear that it went into the Thames instead of hitting a building."

This is pallid stuff, of course, beside Vittorio Mussolini's (fragrant and well-rehearsed) memoir of the Ethiopian campaign.

"It is a question of beauty, as well as accuracy," he says. "The young men of the Dominion may be found doing well important work in all parts of the world; and turning their hands to war is merely a variation in occupation."

Nobody thought the time would come when the demand for fog in the English Channel would exceed the supply.

Supplies Growing Less

Scarcity Of Some Things In Unoccupied France Becomes Acute

The question of food supplies for unoccupied France was studied by the Council of Ministers at Vichy, while delegates from Paris said its rationing of all principal foodstuffs was to be initiated in the Nazi-held zone.

Some foodstuffs are rationed in the unoccupied zone, and it is expected that will be increased.

A communiqué said the Ministers had approved certain measures concerning supply, transportation and distribution of commodities.

Shortage of some supplies in unoccupied France is becoming acute. Soap, sugar, razor blades and toothpaste are fast giving out.

Shoes and men's clothing are scarce in some areas, and in Paris, the press has reported the first arrival in the unoccupied zone of a man wearing a "wooden" suit—made of wood fibre.

Women drivers travel nearly as fast as men, a recent survey on rural highways shows.

BRITAIN BUILDS UP HUGE TANK UNIT FOR COMING OFFENSIVE



Tanks are rolling off the assembly lines every hour of the day and night as Britain gets ready for the day when the Empire will be on the offensive. These new tanks are in hard training somewhere in the south of England.

When Chance Stepped In

Boy Missing For Thirteen Years Will See Home Again

Every day for 13½ years Mrs. Galt, of Cathcart road, Glasgow, has set a place at table for her son, Galloway. But Galloway, a twin, has been missing since 1927.

Every night the place has been left unlighted for him. He has never written since he disappeared in 1927. At the age of 22 he was lost.

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Cod Liver Oil

Production Campaign To Make Canada Independent Of Imports

Because the war has disrupted normal foreign sources of cod liver oil, a production program which should make Canada self-sufficient in this product has been developed. Ordinately Canada imports 75 per cent. of the cod liver oil used in this country.

Two new refining plants have been established in Newfoundland, and are being equipped in Eastern Canada to produce cod liver oil, both of medicinal quality and the kind used for feeding stock and poultry and in various commercial processes.

Mr. George G. Turner, economic adviser to the War-time Prices and Trade Board, which is responsible for the production of cod liver oil, said that the men of Britain "stand to us as the canary, they sing when the country is in trouble."

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Fools Too Crowded

Veteran Of Arctic Thinks 25 Residents Clutter Up Community

In faraway Llywiau a Canadian farmer who has been in the Arctic longer than any man in the Dominion may be found doing well important work in all parts of the world; and turning their hands to war is merely a variation in occupation."

"It is a question of beauty, as well as accuracy," he says. "The young men of the Dominion may be found doing well important work in all parts of the world; and turning their hands to war is merely a variation in occupation."

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There are about 200 million million million molecules in a drop of water. "leaves in their stead."

A Confident Tribute

What Emerson Said About England A Century Ago Still True

It is a remarkable fact that England can lose a leg without knowing it. Is civilization like that? Or is it awake to its peril? Listening to accounts of the bombing of London one wonders.

Other cities, other peoples have been subjected to the like of the Chinese, the Ethiopians, the Spaniards, Poles, Finns, Norwegians, Dutch, Belgians, and French. Ruthless aggressors have spared no treasures of persons or property. Now they unleash on one of the greatest capitals of civilization their hooliganism of most destruction. Will what remains of the civilized world be moved to do what it can to avert it?

All these people have been champions of civilization. Too often they have been champions of barbarism. Yet today Britain fights alone. And this struggle over England is the complete symbol of the largely unseen struggle of civilization against barbarism to-day. Every nation of the world is in the same position.

Young men at the Thanet docks, every humble householder in the East End, all are champions of world culture and Christianity. After all the hair-splitting over the war's causes, all twisted propaganda, all weighing of past mistakes, that is, the simple fact.

Those who cherish the best in human spirit has known in this situation that the world is the material which can lose a leg without knowing it. And they must give thanks daily for the kind of champions that now defend civilization. The spirit of the British people, King and Queen, still can speak of greater things, even than England and the English, of victory won not only for ourselves but for all; a victory won not only for our time but for the long and better days that are to come.

Just Half And Half

Young Registrars Was A Bit Mixed On Wife's Nationality

This story comes from the Vancouver Province: There was a real混血儿 in the downtown Vancouver business district during the recent registration. A middle-aged chap in the garb of a workman came to be registered. He gave his racial origin as Polish and his marital status as "widower."

"Is your wife a Pole, too?" asked the young registrar.

"No; she is a half-breed," replied the man.

"Oh, I see. I can't put down 'half-breed.' I'd better have both racial origins. What is she besides part Indian?"

"My wife is not part Indian," said the applicant truculently, "she's half Scotch and half Irish."

Getting The News

It's always news for Britons to hear over the German radio that Britain has been bombed. The Nazi announcer said: "The important rail way junction of Southwold on the Suffolk Coast was bombed." Said British railway officials: "Southwold has been safe for years."

Because the conventional umbrella will not stand up under the heavy tropical downpours of Java natives of the island use banana leaves in their stead.

Total cash received from sale of Farm Products Shows Increase

Cash income received by farmers from the sale of principal farm products during the period from July 1, 1940, to July 1, 1941, was 30 per cent. greater than for the corresponding period last year, the Dominion bureau of statistics reported recently.

Practically all major source of farm income shows an increase. Income from the 1939 wheat crop received from deliveries made in the months January to July, 1940, was 85 per cent. higher than income from this source during the corresponding period last year.

Total cash received from sale of meat animals was 23 per cent. higher while prices received from the 1940 wool clip brought the income from 1940 shearing to more than twice that of last year. Prices ranged from 90 to 100 per cent.

Rare Book Is Returned

First Full Volume Of Shakespeare's Plays Discovered In February

A rare full volume of Shakespeare's plays, missing since last February, was delivered to authorities at Buffalo on August 27 under circumstances as mysterious as its disappearance. From the library of Williams College at Williamstown, Mass., William H. Hitchcock, Assistant United States Attorney, said that the toiled, red morocco volume, a collector's item which has been appraised at \$50,000, was delivered to him by a messenger from an intermediary.

Symbol Of Courage

The royal standard, flown wherever the King and Queen are in residence, remained at the staff of the Buckingham Palace after the recent bombing, an inspiration to Londoners and to British people everywhere an almost sacred symbol of courage and devotion on the part of the King and Queen.



Scene in a London street as citizens scan the skies as they hear Nazi raiders approaching. Some proceed about their business; others go into an air raid shelter to await the all-clear signal.

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TAX SALE
VILLAGE OF CARBON

NOTICE is hereby given that under the provisions of the Tax Recovery Act, 1938, the Village of Carbon will offer for public auction on Wednesday, the 30th day of October, 1940, at the office of the Clerk, the Village of Carbon, Alberta, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the tax sale of the following property:

Lots	Block	Plan
7 and 8	3	4387 P
9 and 10	3	4387 P
11 and 12	5	4387 P

(That portion which lies west of the easterly 32 1/2 feet and east of the westerly 70 1/2 feet of said lots, namely 27 feet in width.)

Lots	Block	Plan
9 and 10	4	4387 P

(That portion which lies west of the easterly 40 feet and east of the 60 feet of said lots, namely, 30 feet).

Lots	Block	Plan
9 and 10 (incl.)	1	4387 P

27 to 30 (incl.)

Each lot will be offered for sale subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs, and subject to a reserve price and to the reservations in the existing certificates of title.

Terms, etc.

The amount may be affected by payment of the full amount of arrears of taxes and costs at any time prior to the sale.

Dir. Tax Carbon, Alberta, this 2nd day of September, 1940.

ALEX REID,
Secretary-Treasurer

FOR SALE BY AUCTION

The tools, dishes, radio, etc., seized from S.A. J. of the Village of Carbon, for rent and taxes, will be sold by Public Auction at the premises on Sunday, October 13th, commencing at 2 p.m.

Toots consist of power hand saw, wood lathe and small motor, planer, and miscellaneous wood tools.

Also dishes, linoleum, mantle radio, etc. Total Cash.

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Alex Reid, Sec-Treas.

PLAN SHEEP IMPROVEMENT

While J. Stanley McLean, president of Canadian Packers was predicting that Alberta would be the first province to become Canada's leading hog province, the Provincial Department of Agriculture was predicting that Alberta would be the first province to improve its sheep. A sire exchange plan similar to that in effect for hogs and cattle was to be adopted. It was felt that this policy will be of immediate benefit. War conditions have created an abnormal demand for meat," said Hon. D.B. Mullen, Carreras as well as fleece improvement is the objective.

COME AND GET 'EM

Everything possible has been done by the various governments and by newspapers and magazines throughout Canada, to attract the tourist from the United States to the beautiful vacation and sport land of Canada, to show that it is easy to come and go in the past and that every visitor is welcome.

But it remains for the intangible Stephen Leacock to send a message to the tourists from the United States, which we reproduce here as it appeared in the "New York Daily News":

"Come on. We need you. This is the first summer you haven't warmed on our highways, navigated our rivers, and waded the lakes and streams and we are getting cold."

"We're getting cold. It doesn't seem to have been a summer. We used to come in planes on Saturday on Main Street. In the home town and notice all the American cars. As many from N.Y. and N.J. as from Alberta and Saskatchewan and from the Shetland Islands never heard of Hitler."

"Trouble to get across. The American border is closed. The Immigration Office is. My dear sir! The friendliest fellows in the world. Just mention my name: Say you're a friend of mine."

"Come on. Even the old Indians are here. They're not more friendly than we are."

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"They may be true; but, my dear madam, I am responsible for the collision. I say you coming blocks away, and you have an opportunity to draw down a side street."

Mr. Merchant: If your stock of cow sales, books is getting low why not order a new supply now?

Why not order a new supply now? The placing of your order now will protect you against a price rise. You have nothing by ordering through a reliable dealer.

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